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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:  
G. Fox et al.

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For: NUCLEIC ACIDS ENCODING  
EPH-LIKE RECEPTOR  
TYROSINE KINASES

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Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants hereby petition for a two month extension of time to reply to the Office  
Action mailed December 19, 2000. A fee of \$390.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge  
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